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E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: SOUTH AFRICAN MINISTER KOORNHOF TO VISIT US

REF: CAPE TOWN 0666

1. SA MINISTER MINES, IMMIGRATION, SPORT AND RECREATION, DR. PIET G. J. KOORNHOF, TOLD AMBASSADOR AND DCM ""IN STRICT CONFIDENCE" THAT HE IS PLANNING PRIVATE VISIT TO US IN ORDER ATTEND PRAYER BREAKFAST AT INVITATION CONGRESSMAN JOHN DELLENBACK (WHO INVITED CHIEF GATCHA BUTHELEZI TO PRAYER BREAKFAST IN EARLY 1973). KOORNHOF SAID HE PLANNED TO LEAVE SOUTH AFRICA NOVEMBER 3, SPEND NOVEMBER 5 TO 8 IN WASHINGTON, GO TO NYC NOVEMBER 9 TO CONSULT WITH SOUTH AFRICAN UN REP PIK BOTHA, AND LEAVE NOVEMBER 11 TO RETURN SOUTH AFRICA. PLANS MIGHT CHANGE, HE CONFIDED FURTHER, AS FOREIGN MINISTER MULLER HAD SPOKEN TO HIM ABOUT POSSIBILITY GOING ON FROM USA TO BISIT CERTAIN COUNTRIES IN SOUTH AMERICA.

2. HE SAID HE APPRECIATED INVITATION TO PRAYER BREAKFAST AS
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IT OFFERED OPPORTUNITY FOR INFORMAL PERSONAL CONTACTS WITH

VARIETY OF LEADERS FROM SEVERAL COUNTRIES, INCLUDING AFRICA.
HE ASSUMED AND WE CONFIRMED PRAYER BREAKFAST WAS A NONCONTROVERSIAL
INSTITUTION, THEN ADDED THAT WHILE HE WAS IN WASHINGTON THERE
WERE NUMBER OF PEOPLE "THEY" (WE ASSUME SAG OR SA EMBASSY)
WANTED HIM TO MEET.

3. AMB SAID WE WOULD LIKE TO RECOMMEND POSSIBILITY PARTIAL IV
GRANT TO DEPARTMENT IF KOORNHOF MIGHT BE IN POSITION EITHER TO
EXTEND VISIT FOR SOME US TRAVEL BEFORE OR AFTER PROPOSED SOUTH
AMERICAN VISIT. KOORNHOF SAID HE WOULD LIKE THIS VERY MUCH AND
WOULD ESPECIALLY LIKE CHANCE MAKE CONTACTS AMONG US SPORTS
ORGANIZATIONS. DEPENDING ON TRAVEL PLANS, HE MIGHT BE ABLE
TAKE TIME IN EARLY DECEMBER OR IN JANUARY IF NOT RIGHT AFTER
NOVEMBER VISIT. HE WILL LET US KNOW.

4. EMBASSY WILL KEEP DEPT ADVISED AND SUBMIT NECESSARY BIO DATA
AND PROGRAM SUGGESTIONS FOR CU GRANT.
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